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## **Patent Application Transmittal**

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Transmitted herewith for filing is the Patent Application of:

Inventor: Paul Allen Ganfield et al

For:

METHOD, APPARATUS, AND COMPUTER PROGRAM PRODUCT FOR

IMPLEMENTING PACKET ORDERING

ASSIGNEE NAME: INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS MACHINES CORPORATION ASSIGNEE RESIDENCE: ARMONK, NEW YORK

En	closed are:
$\boxtimes$	9 Pages of Specification and 1 Abstract
図	6 Sheets of Drawings
図	A Declaration and Power of Attorney
	An Information Disclosure Statement and form PTO-1449
	A certified copy of Application
$\boxtimes$	An assignment of the invention to International Business Machines Corporation, Armonk, New
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